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**Comments:**

Examiner Thompson,

Please find attached hereto the following documents for the above-identified application:

- Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,



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Title: MEASURING METHOD AND MEASURING APPARATUS	

## AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Specification begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Drawings begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper

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